

No. 8003	號二十九百九千二第	日六廿月十唐	年午庚治同	HONGKONG, MONDAY, 2ND AUGUST, 1870.	一拜禮	二十月八英	港香	PRICE 32½ PER MONTH.
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Agents for Peter Thompson, late Master
of Ship "Dunsmuir"
Hong Kong, 23rd May, 1870.

Post-Office Notification

POST OFFICE NOTIFICATION.
A mail will close
For Shanghai—*Poa Niao*, to-day, the 22nd
instant, at 4.30 P.M.
For Manila—*St. Maria Rosario*, on Thurs-
day, the 25th instant, at 2.30 P.M.

MAILS BY THE "SPRUCH PACKET."
The French Mail Packet *Cambodge* will
be dispatched on THURSDAY, the 25th instant
at noon, with the Mails for
Singapore, to France and the United Kingdom;
Manille, to France and other Continental
States (in a closed mail to France), to Saigon,
Singapore, Gallie, India, Aden, Seychelle,
Mauritius, Zanzibar, Bombay and Alexandria.
The Post Office will be open for the receipt
of Ordinary Letters, Newspapers, Books, &
until 11 A.M. on the 25th instant, after which
no letters will be received.
Money Orders on any of the Money Order
Offices in the United Kingdom will be granted
until 5 A.M. on the 24th instant.
Letters for Registration will be received
until 10 A.M. on the 25th instant.
— F. W. MITCHELL,
General Post Office, *Postmaster General*

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that, the Postage (which must be paid in advance) upon letters addressed to Prince E. W. Mitchell, will henceforward be as follows:

When forwarded via	48 cents each half-ounce
When forwarded via	38 cents each half-ounce
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E. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General

General Post-Office,
Hongkong, 25th July, 1870.

It is hereby notified for general information that on and after the 1st August next, the Commission chargeable on Money Order issued upon the United Kingdom at Hongkong, Shanghai, and Yokohama will be as follows:

On sums not exceeding £2.....	18 cents
Above £2 and not exceeding £5.....	36
Above £5 and not exceeding £10.....	54
Above £10 and not exceeding £100.....	72

E. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General

General Post Office,
Hongkong, 15th July, 1870.

It is hereby notified for general information that under the Provisions of a Treasury Warrant which will come into operation on the

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COMMISSION MERCHANT,
SAN FRANCISCO

20 cents each half-an-ounce weight.
 FOR NEWSPAPERS, PACKETS OF PAPER
 AND BOOKS:
 2 cents each two ounces up to halfpound, and
 8 cents every additional half-pound.
 F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General
 General Post Office,
 Hongkong, 23rd September, 1869.

Hongkong, 6th June, 1870. [ff 103]

for whom a letter is intended may be known, is most essential, to ensure its correct & prompt delivery, that the streets in which the residence, and the number of the house, should form a part of the address.

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General

General Post Office,
Hongkong, 31st January, 1870.

It is hereby notified for general information by order of His Excellency SIR RICHARD GRAVES MACDONALD, that the system of registration has been, from this date, extended to letters and other descriptions of correspondence.

"Horses always on hand for Sale.
J. B. B. having received a very large supply

The fee for registration is 8 cents each letter and 16 cents each book.

No Letter, Book, or packet of patterns can be registered unless the full postage upon it, as well as the registration fee, be paid in advance.

Letters, &c., for registration will be received up to half an hour before the time fixed for closing the mails.

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,
Hongkong, 13th October, 1889.

It is hereby notified for general information that the rates of postage (which must be paid in advance) upon Letters addressed to Cuneo, Nova Scotia, and New Brunswick, will henceforth be as follows:

When forwarded via Brindisi, 45 cents each half-ounce.

When forwarded via Marseilles, 35 cents each half-ounce.

When forwarded via Southampton, 28 cents each half-ounce.

On THURSDAY, the 20th August, at noon
the Company's Steamship "CAM
BORGER" Commandant BRECHT (H.M.N.)

**General Post Office,
Hongkong, 29th February, 1870.**

It is hereby notified that, under the authority of a Treasury Warrant dated the 1st of last, Superintending, or First Class Schoolmasters in the Army will, in future, be entitled to the same privileges as the holders of the same as or addressed to them on their own private affairs as are at present enjoyed by Commanding Officers, or Second Class Schoolmasters, and will be entitled (as the Schoolmistresses) to be addressed (as the Schoolmasters of all, but the First Class was to) to the same privileges, in regard to their Letters, as the Major Generals, or Commanding Officers and Private Soldiers.

**F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.**

**General Post Office,
Hongkong, 31st July, 1868.**

It is hereby notified for general information, that, under the provisions of a Treasury Warrant, bearing date the 1st of last, the Progression of Weight having been unseasonably, it has been extended to all, Letters sent from this Office and any of the Parts of China to Japan, and to the Parts addressed to Manila, Batavia, Saigon, Pondicherry, Bangkok, Luban, Singapore, Penang, and other ports, and to the Islands of

Through Tickets issued, also, to New York

The rates of postage chargeable in future Letters addressed to these places will, therefore, be $\frac{1}{2}$ single rate of postage for each half ounce.

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,
Hongkong, 14th February, 1870.

It is hereby notified for general information that, under the provisions of an additional Convention concluded with the United States Post Office, a further reduction has taken place in the postage on Letters between the United Kingdom and the United States, which it has been extended to Letters forwarded through the United States.

The postage chargeable on Letters posted Hongkong, or at any of the British Possessions, to Britain and Japan, addressed to the United States, will be, for each half ounce, 42 cents of French Cash, which will hereafter be as follows, viz:—

When forwarded via Brindisi, 42 cents of each half-ounce.

When forwarded via Marellle, 36 cents of each half-ounce.

When forwarded via Southampton, 28 cents of each half-ounce.

Prepayment of the postage is compulsory.

F. W. MITCHELL,
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,
Hongkong, 14th February, 1870.

